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SYMPATHETIC STRIKE CALLED

COMPLETE PARALYSIS OF ALL BUSINESS BY SATURDAY

70,000 Allied Tradesmen Cease Work to Help the Traction Line Employees

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—A sympathetic strike of 70,000 trade unionists allied with the street car employees is called for Saturday unless Mayor Mitchell and the public service commission succeed in causing an amicable settlement.

Mayor Mitchell said late yesterday that something would have to be done and that he hoped to devise some means by which all cars could be run again. The mayor's plan to have the board of estimate grant a franchise to the New York Motor Bus company, permitting omnibus traffic throughout the city, did not

give much hope, as it takes 30 days for the franchise to be granted and to put busses in operation.

William B. Fitzgerald, organizer of the Carmen's union, accused Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough Rapid Transit company, of fearing defeat by his refusal to arbitrate the strike. He declared arbitration would be the "surest way to prevent both misunderstanding and public deception."

Five trolley cars collided in a series of rear end collisions in the Bronx and ten passengers were injured, one seriously. The trouble occurred at the foot of a steep

incline, where the crews of strike-breakers claim the tracks were greased.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Despite the maintenance of regular schedules by the subway and elevated lines and a general restoration of service on the surface lines, union leaders declare they are far from discouraged. They hinted that the danger of a "sympathetic strike" is not yet over. The question will be discussed at a meeting of the Central Federated union. Strike leaders predict the sympathy strike resolution will be adopted.

OFFENSIVE CAMPAIGN ORDERED IN BALKANS

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Sept. 14.—A Rome wireless says: At the general council of the central powers at the headquarters of the German emperor an offensive campaign in the Balkans was mapped out by Germany sending 200,000 and Austria 100,000 men for the purpose.

JAPAN AND RUSSIA PROTEST THAT CHINA'S DOOR IS OPEN

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Japan's formal note to Ambassador Guthrie, transmitted to the State department, assures the United States government that the new Russo-Japanese treaty does not repeal any former convention and that the imperial government has not entertained for a moment any intention to depart from the policy of respecting the integrity of China or the "open door."

The note resulted from inquiries made by Ambassador Guthrie at Tokio by direction of the department regarding the effect of the new treaty.

STUDENTS AND JAILBIRDS FIGHT SIDE BY SIDE AGAINST BIG FIRE

(By Associated Press.)

LOS ALTOS, Cal., Sept. 14.—Big Basin is safe from the forest fire which was menacing, according to reports from the army of firefighters, unless the wind again fans the embers into renewed activity. The fire was prevented from getting into the Black mountains, where it might have swept down into the big timber. The belief is expressed that the danger to Chas. J. Deering's "Hidden Villa" is past.

University students and jail prisoners fought side by side last night in a desperate battle with the flames. Forty Stanford students under Prof. Wing aided in the struggle. From the Santa Clara jail came forty prisoners under deputy sheriffs. Besides these there were five truck loads of employees of the Pacific Gas and Electric company. In all, several hundred waged a successful all night battle with the destroying element. Places where the fire is still burning appeared to be virtually under control.

FIVE KILLED BY TANK EXPLOSION

(By Associated Press.)

NEWARK, Sept. 14.—Five men, including Samuel Botkin, president of the Interstate Milk and Cream company, were killed by the explosion of an ammonia tank in a plant which was to be opened next Monday. Three were injured.

VENICE ATTACKED BY AERIAL FORCE

(By Associated Press.)

ROME, Sept. 14.—A group of enemy seaplanes attacked Venice between 1:30 and 2:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, dropping incendiary and explosive bombs. The church of San Giovanni Paolo, the home for the aged and several private buildings were slightly damaged.

ALLEGED BANK LOOTER RELEASED BY POLICE

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Flannigan was released after the police questioned him. They said they had no evidence on which they could hold him. He was arrested by request of the Canadian authorities.

DIAMOND STAR IN BANKRUPTCY

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Geo. D. (Buck) Weaver, third baseman of the Chicago American league baseball team filed a petition in bankruptcy today in the federal court, seeking relief from creditors of a billiard hall enterprise which he started two years ago on the south side, and which he recently closed. His liabilities were scheduled at \$1902.86 and his assets as nothing.

MAY COMMUTE DEATH PENALTY

(By Associated Press.)

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 14.—The American State department has asked that the death sentence imposed some time ago upon Harold E. Elton be commuted to 20 years' imprisonment. Elton is an American mining engineer, who was tried in Oaxaca on a charge of aiding the reactionaries. A month ago, at the request of the United States, Gen. Carranza postponed the execution.

TOLEDO BUILDING FALLS IN RUINS

(By Associated Press.)

TOLEDO, Ohio, Sept. 14.—Several pedestrians may have lost their lives in the collapse of the Johnson Furniture company's four story building here last night. The brick structure, which had been undergoing repairs, collapsed without warning and tumbled into Summit street, the city's main thoroughfare. Workmen are searching for bodies.

\$575 FOR BETHLEHEM \$106 1/2 FOR U.S. STEEL

Greatest Stock Excitement Known in the History of Wall St. Breaks Loose Today

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—The extraordinary rise of the stock market during the last fortnight, which has not been equalled since last years' movement of war brides, attained wider and more impressive proportions today, when in the first hour's trading almost half a million shares were traded in, attended by gains of one to three points among industrials, equipments, motors, oils and shares of almost every other description, culminating in a twenty point advance in Bethlehem Steel at 575. United States Steel was the chief feature, rising to 106 1/2 in the first in the first hour, exceeding the best previous record by three-quarters of a point.

BIG YEAR FOR STEEL

(By Associated Press.)

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 14.—James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel corporation, speaking at a banquet last night, predicted a prosperous year for the steel industry.

"Nineteen sixteen will probably go down in history as one of the most remarkable years that the iron and steel industry ever has known," he declared. "Without the necessity of resorting to prophesy we can assume that the year 1917 will see the blast furnace and steel works of this country operating at capacity."

BOTH MEN DIE IN PISTOL DUEL

(By Associated Press.)

WORTHVILLE, Ky., Sept. 14.—J. E. Robertson, sheriff of Carroll county, and Lucian Rice, whom he was attempting to arrest, were killed simultaneously in a pistol duel late yesterday at Rice's home at Sanders, near here. Sheriff Robertson found Rice sitting on his front porch, armed. Both opened fire at once. Each was killed instantly. Rice was wanted on a disorderly conduct charge.

WILSON TAKES UP WESTERN CAMPAIGN

(By Associated Press.)

LONG BRANCH, Sept. 14.—The president for the first time gave detailed consideration today to the campaign for re-election. He went over the reports of political managers and began mapping out plans for the next two months. The result of the conferences indicated that greater attention will be paid to the campaign in Oregon, Washington, Utah and California because of reports received which cause the belief that Democratic prospects are excellent.

Highest temperature yesterday, 81; lowest this morning, 64.
Highest temperature a year ago, 83; lowest, 24.

DANISH MAIL SEIZED BY BRITISH PIRES

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Sept. 14.—Danish mail abroad the Norwegian steamer Kristianstad, from New York to Bergen, was confiscated by the British authorities at Kirkwall.

RESIGNS TO GO INTO TRENCHES

(By Associated Press.)

DENVER, Sept. 14.—Rev. John McNeill announced his resignation as pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of Denver, last night, and said he will leave soon for London, where he will be connected with Young Men's Christian association work. He also hopes to preach to the troops in the trenches in Flanders, he said.

STANDARD OIL STEAMER SUNK

(By Associated Press.)

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 14.—The sinking of the American built steamship Antwerpen is announced.

The Antwerpen was a vessel of 11,300 tons and was built at Newport News. She belonged to the Standard Oil company and left Newport News in ballast on her maiden voyage for New York on August 24 and sailed August 31 from Bayonne, N. J., for London on her first trip across the Atlantic.

The Antwerpen was the first foreign ship ever built at Newport News. She was in command of Capt. Herman Segbarth, who formerly commanded the oil tanker America. She was 450 feet long, 60 feet beam and 30 feet in depth. The steamer was an oil burner and carried wireless.

ELKS RECEPTION FRIDAY

NIGHT OF THIS WEEK

The regular Elks dance will be held tomorrow night at Elks hall. A special orchestra has been engaged and the guests are assured of the best music and the latest dances. This is one of the regular series and not in the shirtwaist calendar. Invitations may be had from members.

MYSTERIOUS LOOTING OF BANK SHOWN UP

After Five Years Alleged Culprit Arrested When Confederate Tries to Recover Plunder

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Martin Flannigan, a saloonkeeper, was arrested today in connection with the mysterious robbery of the branch Bank of Montreal, at New Westminster, B. C., five years ago. A loot of \$271,000 was obtained by the robbers.

The arrest of Flannigan was made as a result of the arrest in Toronto of Michael Shortall, who attempted to pry open a safety deposit box in the vault of a Toronto bank. The box, rented to Flannigan four years ago, was stuffed with Canadian banknotes. Shortall told the police he was employed by Flannigan to make the Toronto trip.

FRENCH HAVE GAINED SIX MILES IN A DRIVE LASTING 75 DAYS

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Sept. 14.—The French paused today in their advance north of Peronne, where they had driven a total distance of six miles into the German lines since July 1, when the Somme offensive began, notwithstanding a series of German counter attacks. Assaults delivered on the new French position both north and south were fruitless, according to official reports.

In the Macedonian campaign the entente apparently has not pressed the right Salomiki position, as the British, who advanced across the Struma, are reported to have withdrawn to the west bank. Serbians are continuing their pressure against the Bulgarians along the western end of the line.

Official accounts of the engagement at Lake Ostrovo state it is turning in favor of the allies, with Bulgarian trenches and heights captured by Serbians.

Latest reports from the Rumanian

TRIAL OF BOMB PLOT AT A CRITICAL STAGE

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—Argument favoring the admissibility of evidence concerning the dynamite conspiracy three years ago between Billings, the alleged bomb planter; Mooney, a confederate, and others, was begun today in the Billings murder trial. "Unless we can prove a conspiracy existed our case has failed," said Asst. Dist. Atty. Brennan. Remarks by Judge Dunne were interpreted to indicate that he would bar testimony concerning Billings' actions in 1913.

Brennan said he hoped to show that Billings, Mooney and others conspired against all the people "who had not coincided with their peculiar ideas on social conditions."

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

	1916	1915
5 a. m.	64	34
12 noon	80	50
3 p. m.	73	44
8 p. m.	81	56

BUTLER THEATRE

PICTURES THAT AMUSE
AND NOT OFFEND

TONIGHT
FLORENCE TURNER
An Old Tonopah Favorite, in
"DOORSTEPS"
From the famous Drama
of the same name
—And—
PATHE WEEKLY

Tomorrow
THEDA SARA
—And—
Athletic Feature, presenting all the
prominent world's athletes
and champions
Matinee 1:30—Night 7 and 8:30
Admission 10-15c